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**MONEY AS CHARM CONDUCTOR.**  
Professor Got \$800 and Guiltless  
Woman the Influence.

**REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.**  
Pittman, N. Y., June 21.—Walter P. Collins,  
alias Doctor Zello, painter, aged 22 years,  
is under arrest here on the charge of grand  
larceny, the complainant being Miss Mary  
E. Miller, who alleges that he robbed her  
of \$800.

According to her testimony she had one  
of a bunch of bills aggregating \$800  
and he held the other. He told her that the  
wonderful influence he possessed would flow  
from him, through the bills into her, and  
the result would be that she would be able  
to rent her property. In relation to the  
details of the bunko game, Miss Miller said  
she was very superstitious, and Doctor  
Zello told her that it was necessary for  
her to bring money, because money was the  
goal in the world for which every one  
was pushing, and one's thoughts centered  
upon it constantly. He said that through  
this money he could transmit an influence  
to her, I brought him \$800 first. He put it  
in an envelope as I supposed, and gave it to  
me, telling me to go home and bring him  
more the next day.

I brought back the sealed envelope and  
gave it to him. He opened it and apparently  
took the money out, and handing the \$800  
to her, he told her to hold one envelope  
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## AMERICAN VALOR WON THE FIGHT

Captain Pershing Sends Graphic  
Description of the Fight  
of Lake Lanao.

**TROOPS STORMED THE FORT.**

Bloody Hand-to-Hand Struggle in  
Which the Hopes of the Moros  
Were Shattered With Their  
Last Stronghold.

Washington, June 21.—Captain J. J. Pershing,  
who was in command of the troops at the  
fight of Lake Lanao, in the Philippines,  
has written a letter to a personal friend in  
the War Department describing the battle.  
It has been shown to Secretary Root, who  
authorized its publication. Captain Pershing  
says: "Camp Vicks, April 27, 1903.—I suppose  
your mail dispatches have, or will have,  
brought you a full account of the bloody  
struggle in reality, the best fight of the  
Moro campaign, not so many Moros as  
Bajang of Pandapatan—one year ago—but  
fought according to some sort of system.  
Of course, I have worked on this fight as I  
forever long ago that it must come, and  
the winning from the beginning worked  
out as planned. First, we got behind them,  
much to their surprise, and could post our  
guns above and drop projectiles down into  
their fort, so that the artillery fire in this  
case was not all noise. We had some work  
and some fighting to gain this position.

**FIGHT IN THE RAIN.**  
"Once there it was only a question of sit-  
ting down deliberately and waiting to see  
what the Moros would do. Many got away  
before the place was invested thoroughly.  
The fight began in a flood of a rainstorm  
that lasted till dark, and recommenced  
in the morning. So we did not find all the  
advantages of escape until next day, and I am  
glad now we did not, as they had such con-  
fidence in this fort, that they have been  
constructing for a year, that they took  
many women and children inside, and these  
escaped during the night.

The next day and night we held them  
till, however, and to get them to surren-  
der, had two tanks under a lot of trees;  
they would fight it out. So there was  
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## BRIGHTER OUTLOOK IN WALL STREET

Recent Scare Is Dissipated, but  
Confidence Is Not Fully  
Restored.

**MONEY MARKET SEEMS SOUND.**

Overproduction of Securities Held  
Responsible for Heavy Liqui-  
dation—Big Financial In-  
terests Bolster Market.

New York, June 21.—Stocks acted during  
the past week in a manner which should  
have given satisfaction to both parties to the  
market. If there was any advantage  
noticeable, however, it rested with the forces  
operating for a further decline in prices.  
This seemed natural enough, in view of the  
process of settlement and adjustment which  
follows a sudden turn in stock-market af-  
fairs.

For a period of nearly eight months the  
stock market has undergone steady and  
heavy liquidation. Toward the end this  
liquidating movement met with considerable  
resistance, but such was its cumulative force  
that it was only by a concentrated and pow-  
erful stroke that the current threatening  
financial destruction was deflected. Nothing  
has occurred during the past week which  
would finally determine whether the natural  
course of the market was toward a lower  
level or otherwise.

Prices were highly irregular, reflecting the  
unsettled condition of speculative sentiment  
and the lack of a fundamental guiding  
force, which is yet to make its appearance.

**FRIGHT DISSIPATED.**  
From the volume of business transacted  
on the course of the security market it is  
evident that the fright which was extend-  
ing over the length and breadth of the land,  
and even across the seas, has been pretty  
thoroughly dissipated.

Confidence, however, has not been thor-  
oughly restored as yet, and the present sit-  
uation is akin to that which follows a run  
on a bank. Wall street has not yet recov-  
ered its equilibrium, and the market is still  
in a state of uncertainty.

Interests and security markets go into the  
open market and buy freely and openly in  
a manner which suggested the action of  
bankers, who are not so much concerned  
with the price of the securities as they are  
with the fact that they are being sold.

So far the action of the important finan-  
cial interests in openly buying stocks at the  
present level has been a most encouraging  
feature of the market. It has been a most  
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At this point there are now two powerful  
parties, who hold opposite beliefs, and  
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the stock market. The vacillating character  
of the market during the last week, which  
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**TWO MANY SECURITIES.**  
There is an undivided opinion that the  
overproduction of securities, both good and  
bad, played an important part in the  
liquidation which was brought to so sudden  
a halt in the week ending Saturday, June 20.

The infusion of older and well-organized  
companies also played its part. The coun-  
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**A Unique Booklet.**  
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## TRADE RELATIONS MAY BE INFLUENCED

American Commercial Men Deeply  
Interested in Coming Reichs-  
tag Election.

**BETTER CONDITIONS HOPED FOR**

If Agrarians Are Defeated It Is  
Expected That Germany Will  
Enact More Liberal  
Import Laws.

The Republic Bureau,  
10th St. and Pennsylvania Ave.  
Washington, June 21.—German-American  
commercial relations and prospective trade  
treaties will be strongly and perhaps radi-  
cally influenced by the remarkable social-  
democratic gains in the pending Reichs-  
tag elections, according to authorities of the  
Agricultural and other departments here  
who keep in close touch with the situation  
in Kaiser William's realm.

Agrarian defeat implies, according to  
these officials, a renewal of commercial  
negotiations upon a basis that will be  
practical results. The existing laws ad-  
ministered the Agrarians, who are the  
most uncompromising foes of American im-  
ports of grains, canned meats, preserved  
meats and other staple articles, is looked  
upon as a sure sign that the coming Reichs-  
tag will be in a liberal mood to consider  
tariff modifications, especially those harsh  
clauses in the Posadowsky law which are  
aimed at the exclusion of American grains,  
fruits, preserved meats and packing-house  
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Although it is premature to draw con-  
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tions, says Doctor Simon, chief of the  
animal industry bureau of the Agricultural  
Department and the authority best schooled  
on German-American commercial relations,  
"it is evident that the Agrarians are more  
hopeful for a mutual readjustment of trade  
relations with Germany. The inevitable  
position of the Agrarians hereafter caused  
the stringent inspection and exclusion laws  
which have now been enacted, but destroyed  
the best and most important export to Ger-  
many. The election now seems to indicate  
that this policy is not to be continued."

**NO WARFARE SOUGHT.**  
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